



Executive Department  
State of Idaho

*The Office of the Governor*  
**Proclamation**

State Capitol  
Boise

*WHEREAS, the control of infectious diseases is of vital concern to all Idaho citizens; and*

*WHEREAS, modern infection control methods help protect Idaho citizens from the spread of hospital and community acquired infectious diseases; and*

*WHEREAS, the surveillance of medical facilities and the control of disease transmission by Idaho Infection Control Practitioners provide safety measures for patients, medical workers, healthcare facility visitors, and the general public from the threat of infectious diseases; and*

*WHEREAS, October 20 through 26, 2003, has been designated as International Infection Control week throughout the world with the chosen theme of "Infection Prevention - Lend Healthcare A Hand By Washing Yours";*

*NOW, THEREFORE, I, DIRK KEMPTHORNE, Governor of the State of Idaho, do hereby proclaim October 20 through 26, 2003, to be*

**INFECTION CONTROL WEEK**

*in Idaho.*



*IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho at the Capitol in Boise on this second day of October in the year of our Lord two-thousand and three and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred twenty-eighth and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred fourteenth.*

A handwritten signature of Dirk Kempthorne in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

DIRK KEMPTHORNE  
GOVERNOR

A handwritten signature of Ben Ysursa in black ink, written over a horizontal line.

BEN YSURSA  
SECRETARY OF STATE